

Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education (25-2011)

Occupation description: Instruct preschool-aged children in activities designed to promote social, physical, and intellectual growth needed for primary school in preschool, day care center, or other child development facility. Substitute teachers are included in "Teachers and Instructors, All Other" (25-3099). May be required to hold State certification. Excludes "Childcare Workers" (39-9011) and "Special Education Teachers" (25-2050).

Employment and Job Openings

	Average employment			Average annual openings		
	2010 estimate	2020 projection	Percent change	Growth	Replacement	Total
Alaska	634	750	18.3	12	17	29
United States	456,800	570,400	24.9	11,360	11,880	23,240

Job outlook

Alaska: Alaska's employment growth is strong with high employment opportunities. [Read more.](#)

2013 Wages ?

	Mean Wage and 95% Confidence Interval			Wage by Percentile		
	Low	Mean	High	10th	Median	90th
United States	n/a	15.11	n/a	8.86	13.26	23.88
Alaska	15.98	17.30	18.62	10.35	16.84	24.71
Anchorage/Mat-Su Area (MSA)	14.96	16.51	18.06	10.64	16.73	21.84
Fairbanks North Star Borough (MSA)	16.20	17.73	19.26	13.74	16.79	25.23
Southeast Region	10.86	17.80	24.74	8.57	18.64	28.96
Balance of State	16.24	18.86	21.48	12.26	17.57	28.06

Labor Force Indicators

2012 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
794	98	12.3	28.5	18.9

2012 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	233
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	99
UI claimants previously working in occupation	236

2012 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	648
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Number of job position postings	129
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	5.0

Typical Entry-level Education, Experience, and/or On-the-job Training

Education: Associate degree

Work experience: None

On-the-job training: None

Training Resources

	Degree
Ilisagvik College	
Inupiaq Early Learning	AA

	Degree
University of Alaska Anchorage	
Early Childhood	BA
Early Childhood	PBCT
Early Childhood Development	AAS
Early Childhood Development	CT1
Early Childhood Education	BA

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